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R. A.L. Griffiths

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Examiner:

Ethan C. Whisenant

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

TRANSMITTAL FOR AMENDMENT "A" AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment “A” and Response for entry in the above-identified application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

— To secure the approval of the Examiner for proposed amendments to the drawings, enclosed are the following:

- ☐ Letter to the Official Draftsperson;
- ☐ Set of _____ () sheets of drawings containing Figures _____ including the proposed amendments therein; and
- ☐ A duplicate set of the _____ () sheets of drawings with the changes therein highlighted in red.
- ☒ To render the transmitted Amendment "A" and Response timely filed enclosed are the following:
- ☒ Petition for a three-Month Extension of Time; and
- ☒ Form PTO-2038 submitting Credit Card Payment in the amount of \$930.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time.
- ☒ A Certificate of Express Mail Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.
- ☒ No other fee is required.

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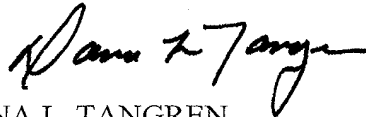
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- ☐ Check No. _____ in the amount of \$ _____ is enclosed to cover the additional claim fee.
- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3178 in the amount of _____.
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- X Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
- X Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- X A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Dated this 24th day of February 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 23, 2002, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: